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ISSUE OF BONDS TO BE DISCUSSED NEXT THURSDAY

After Receiving Committee Report Board of Supervisors Calls Public Meeting

Thursday, August 10; chamber of Commerce rooms in the Hawaiian Trust building.

That is the time and place set for a public discussion of the proposed municipal bond issue. A definite schedule, proportioning definite amounts for definite purposes, was adopted at Wednesday night's meeting of the board and left to the public for revision.

The supervisors' schedule calls for \$400,000 for roads, \$125,000 each for water mains and sewers, and \$100,000 for parks, a total of \$750,000. The issue for one year is limited by law to one-half of one per cent of the assessed valuation, or \$480,000. It has been held, though, that it may be decided at a public meeting to issue bonds to any given amount, each year's issue being limited to \$480,000.

The money to be apportioned to the road and to the water and sewer departments will be divided among the improvements listed in a schedule submitted to the board several weeks ago. This called for \$595,500 for country roads, \$561,000 for the city's share of improvements in the city, \$560,000 for sewers, \$357,392 for water mains and \$180,000 for a sewer outfall.

The \$100,000 for parks will be used, if voted, for the purchase of Atkinson and Panoa park (\$46,320) and for improvements in the public bath—dredging a pool deep enough for diving, a new pavilion, etc.

The finance committee's report goes into the bond question and the revenue of the city and county quite thoroughly and contains much valuable information, too lengthy to be published here.

CITY AFFAIRS AND SUPERVISOR NOTES

Next meeting will be Tuesday night.

Interest on registered warrants to the amount of \$1258.05 was appropriated.

J. L. Cooper was present representing the civic affairs committee of the Rotary Club.

Raymond C. Brown, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, attended the meeting.

Permission for an auto stand on Smith street, between Hotel and King, was granted.

Pat Silva, messenger in the city attorney's office, was granted a week's vacation to start August 7.

Preliminary expense of the Beretania street improvement amounting to \$700 was appropriated.

Two small pieces of property needed for the widening of King street at Kalihl were acquired by the board.

Request of E. C. Winston that the back stand at King and Liliha streets be abolished was referred to the police committee.

Beach Walk assessment ordinance passed third reading and will become effective as soon as signed by the mayor and advertised for three days. This is the third improvement district to get this far along.

Request of the auditor for instructions on the bills incurred by the circuit court during the first half of the year, which it has been ruled he can not pay from this period's appropriation, was referred to the ways and means committee.

Opening of the bids on Manoa bonds was postponed until August 29 at the request of the city treasurer and the attorneys for local bankers, who expect to bid on the issue. It is hoped a decision as to the validity of the bonds will be handed down by that time.

Acceptance of the offer of the civic federation to deed Liliuokalani Gardens to the city on promise of \$8000 being expended on improvements within the year was postponed until the next meeting to give several of the members of the board a chance to look up the previous correspondence in the matter.

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STAR-BULLETIN CONTEST SUITS CITY OFFICIALS

Selection of Good Roads for First Phase Competition is Indorsed

"I am glad, mighty glad, to see that the Star-Bulletin has chosen 'good roads' for the topic of the first submarine contest," said George M. Collins, city engineer, this morning as a Star-Bulletin reporter entered his office. "Anything which centers attention on good roads, the necessity for them and the means of getting them, is a useful and a commendable project."

Supervisor Charles N. Arnold, chairman of the road committee, feels the same way about it. "If the entire city gets interested in the subject, studies it and concentrates its attention on it, it will not be long before we have good roads and plenty of them, for then the necessity for a greater income for the municipality will be generally realized," he says. "A contest such as the Star-Bulletin is conducting will do more than any other one thing I can think of to direct public attention to the subject. Thousands of people will be studying the situation in the city and county every Tuesday for four weeks."

Merchants Distribute Cards. The 17 merchants who have the submarine chase cards had distributed close to a thousand of them at noon today. "I expected a rush, but not the steady stream of demands that there has been," said one of them this morning.

Telephone inquiries regarding the contest have been pouring into the Star-Bulletin office since the first paper announcing it was on the street Tuesday afternoon. The inquiries have come not only from people who want to participate but from merchants who want the cards. They are being distributed as fast as possible and there will be one in every store of importance in the city before the week is out.

"It is fun," asserted one charming young woman who called for details today, "and at the same time it gives me a chance to earn enough to buy nearly a whole wardrobe." That is the spirit in which most of the entrants are going into the contest. It provides a pleasant pastime for an evening gathering around the family's library table, and a chance for profit—extra profit that may be spent for long-wanted luxuries.

GUARDSMEN WILL DO SUB-CALIBER PRACTISE TODAY

From 5 to 6 o'clock this afternoon the men of the 1st Company, Coast Artillery Corps, National Guard of Hawaii, will hold their first sub-caliber target practice at Fort De Russy, under the direction of regular army officers, who believe the company has advanced sufficiently in gun-handling skill to do this work.

The company has been practicing with the guns since early in June, and has made good progress. In this afternoon's sub-caliber practice the six-inch guns, in which have been inserted a sub-caliber bore, firing a projectile about one and a half inches in diameter, will be used.

A small power launch from Fort Armstrong will tow a target out to sea about a mile or two, and the guns will be aimed at the moving target, at distances ranging from 2000 to 3000 yards. Capt. G. K. Larsson, commanding the company, is much interested in seeing how the drill will work out.

JAPANESE PAPER, MORNING DAILY, TO BE LAUNCHED

A new Japanese daily paper, the Hawaii Chocho (Morning Reporter of Hawaii) will be issued on or about September 1 by well-known Japanese newspapermen who are said to have some backing in the Nipponese business community.

The paper is to be issued from an office on King street near Liliha. R. Murakami, former editor of the Hawaii Shinpo, and T. Kimura, former editor of the Hawaii Hochi, are interested in the new venture and have ordered type and printing-press from New York. It was said today. Articles of incorporation are expected to be filed soon.

A report that Dr. M. Negoro, Japanese newspaperman, lawyer and labor agitator, would be editor of the paper could not be confirmed today.

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Cost of Shoes Follows After Rise of Steaks

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Shoes are going up.

Jack Ryan says so.

The "footwear king" unloaded one of the finest and most extensive lines of shoes he has ever carried to the islands from the Wilhelmina and is ready for business. Polishing his samples in the display room in the Royal Hawaiian hotel, the old-time salesman talked interestingly of the increased cost of leather, its substitutes and the fluctuations of footwear styles.

This is Ryan's twenty-fifth trip to Honolulu. He comes once a year but that does not mean he has been coming here for 25 years, for at one time he visited the islands semi-annually. After several weeks in the islands he travels on to the Philippines, China and India.

"Shoes are surely going to jump in price," declared Ryan. "Look at this pair I'm wearing."

He exhibited a pair of nifty English

tans. "I paid \$8 for them in San Francisco. In my room I have a pair exactly the same that I bought for \$6 in the same store a year ago."

It is the same old story—the war in Europe. Ryan says that not only has the supply of shoes from England to the United States been discontinued but also that the over-sea leather supply is exhausted and American hides are in demand at a higher price.

CANCELLATION OF TRANSPORT DANCE MOANA TONIGHT

Owing to the non-arrival of the transport Sherman, the management of the Moana Hotel is obliged to announce the cancellation of the dance advertised for this evening.—Adv.

Jack Barrell, aged 22, only son of Finley Barrell, New York stock broker, was drowned on his father's estate near Havana, Ill.

The Senate voted to continue the pneumatic tube service in the cities of New York, Boston, Philadelphia and Chicago.

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